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SERIAL NO. 09/273,468	FILING DATE 03/22/99	EXAMINER	ARO UNET		
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- _ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ___ Power of Attorney.
- X Any additional extension and/or fees may be to Deposit Account No. 05-0649.
- X No additional fee is required. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

EXTENSION OF TERM

NOTE: "Extension of Time in Patent Cases (Supplement Amendments)-If a timely and complete response has been filed after a Non-Final Office Action, an extension of time is not required to permit filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period.

> If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is require to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

See 37 CFR 1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings and 37 CFR 1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

(complete (A) or (B) as applicable)

Α. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension	Fee for other than	Fee for
	(Months)	<u>small entity</u>	<u>small entity</u>
<u>X</u>	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
	two months	390.00	195.00
	three months	930.00	465.00
	four months	1,470.00	735.00

Fee \$ <u>55.00</u>

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

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